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Date: June 29, 1999

Ms. Libby Herland
Wallkill River National Wildlife Refuge
USDI Fish and Wildlife Service
P.O. Box 383
Sussex, NJ 07461

Dear Ms. Herland:

On June 21, 1999, Rod Whiteman of my staff conducted an aerial detection survey for gypsy moth-caused tree defoliation at Wallkill River National Wildlife Refuge. I am pleased to report that no defoliation was detected at, or in the vicinity of, your site.

However, if you anticipate requesting either financial or technical assistance for gypsy moth control in 2000, please contact Brad Onken or Rod by letter or telephone (304) 285-1541 before August 27, 1999.

Please contact Rod at the above number if you have any questions regarding this aerial survey letter.

Sincerely,

JOHN W. HAZEL
Field Representative
Morgantown Area Office

cc: Allen Carter, Regional Forester, USDI F&WS
John Kegg, NJDA
Noel Schneeberger, AO

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